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Object: Unintentional delay – Application no 10/018591

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Dear Sirs,

Reference is made to your letter of July 11 2003 concerning the matter in object.

I'd like to remind you my last letters' contents regarding serious conflicts between me and the other applicants Mr. Antonino D'Africa and Mr. Massimo Sartori (letter dated March 18, 2002) and regarding my ignorance about some documents and the waiver of the application n° 10/018,591 by Mr. Mc Glow (letter dated May 29 2003).

Unfortunately, until now, I didn't get the documents required, like your letter of October 03 2002 and Mc Glow's communication of April 07 2003. Subsequently I'm still in the same situation without any fault and direct responsibility.

At the same time, the aforesaid conflicts are persisting until today.

This status depends on a not professional behaviour of some people involved in the application of the patent in object. In order to prove my declarations I can send, if you are interested in, copy of my correspondence with this people. Furthermore I've already recalled my signature from Mr. Mannucci, the Italian attorney who was dealing with the application through his correspondent Mr. Mc Glow.

For these reasons I solicit you again to kindly provide me with a copy of all the documents related to the application in object, therefore I can take the appropriate precautions.

Consequently I'd like to clarify that the waiver of the application is a definitive renunciation to it and, in addition, I warn you against accepting new applications that could contain my forged signature.

I thank you for the interest shown in my situation and I look forward to reading from you soon.

Yours faithfully,

Guido Paduano